IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA
WHEELING

WILLIE JAMES MORGAN,

Petitioner,

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CIVIL ACTION NO. 5:19-CV-301

(BAILEY)

R. HUDGINS, Warden,

Respondent.

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

On this day, the above-styled matter came before this Court for consideration of the

Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge James P. Mazzone [Doc.

11]. Pursuant to this Court's Local Rules, this action was referred to Magistrate Judge

Mazzone for submission of a proposed report and a recommendation ("R&R"). Magistrate

Judge Mazzone filed his R&R on March 10, 2020, wherein he recommends the § 2241

petition be dismissed without prejudice.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(c), this Court is required to make a de novo

review of those portions of the magistrate judge's findings to which objection is made.

However, the Court is not required to review, under a *de novo* or any other standard, the

factual or legal conclusions of the magistrate judge as to those portions of the findings or

recommendation to which no objections are addressed. *Thomas v. Arn*, 474 U.S. 140,

150 (1985). In addition, failure to file timely objections constitutes a waiver of de novo

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review and the right to appeal this Court's Order. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); Snyder v.

Ridenour, 889 F.2d 1363, 1366 (4th Cir. 1989); United States v. Schronce, 727 F.2d 91,

94 (4th Cir. 1984). Here, objections to Magistrate Judge Mazzone's R&R were due within

fourteen (14) days of receipt, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and Fed.R.Civ.P. 72(b).

The docket reflects service was accepted on March 13, 2020 [Doc. 12]. To date, no

objections have been filed. Accordingly, the R&R will be reviewed for clear error.

Upon careful review of the above, it is the opinion of this Court that the Report and

Recommendation [Doc. 11] should be, and is, hereby ORDERED ADOPTED for the

reasons more fully stated in the magistrate judge's report. Accordingly, the petitioner's

§ 2241 petition [Doc. 1] is DENIED and DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE. The Clerk

is **DIRECTED** to **STRIKE** this case from the active docket of this Court and to enter

judgment in favor of the respondent.

It is so **ORDERED**.

The Clerk is directed to transmit copies of this Order to any counsel of record and

to mail a copy to the pro se petitioner.

**DATED:** April 8, 2020.

JOHN PRESTON BAILEY

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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